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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Required copies of the references listed on Form PTO-1449 are attached.

Also enclosed is a copy of a Japanese Office Action (with English translation) bearing a mailing date of May 27, 2011 from a corresponding Japanese patent application, and the U.S. PTO is directed thereto for a concise statement of possible relevance of the references cited therein.

Japanese Patent Publication No. 2002-371236 A1 and International Publication No. WO 2003/093878 A1 cited in the above Japanese Office Action were previously submitted to the U.S. PTO in an Information Disclosure Statement filed September 7, 2006, along

with Japanese Patent Publication No. 2004-191873 A1 which is cited under Background Art Information in the above Office Action.

Japanese Patent Publication Nos. 2002-275430 A1 and 2001-166104 A1 were submitted to the U.S. PTO in an Information Disclosure Statement filed December 19, 2006.

In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) for foreign language documents, Japanese Patent Publication Nos. 2004-029705 A1 (Ref. AH) and 2004-249495 A1 (Ref. AI) correspond to U.S. Patent No. 7,531,234 B2 (Ref. AG).

The above information is presented so that the Patent and Trademark Office may, in the first instance, determine any materiality thereof to the claimed invention. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that these references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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